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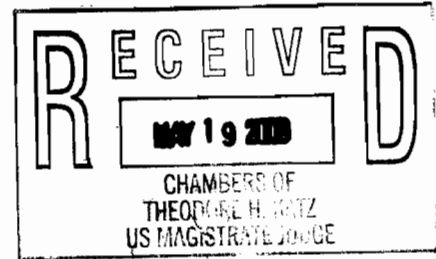
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Honorable Theodore H. Katz
United States Magistrate Judge
United States District Court for the
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007



Re: Kathleen Mays, Ph.D. v. Washington Square Institute for Mental Health and
Psychotherapy and Gerd H. Fenchel, Ph.D., 07 CV 5976 (BSJ)(THK)

Dear Judge Katz:

This firm represents plaintiff Kathleen Mays, Ph.D. in the above-referenced action.

We write jointly with counsel for defendants, Washington Square Institute for Mental Health and Psychotherapy ("WSP") and Gerd H. Fenchel, Ph.D., to advise the Court that the parties have agreed to mediation of this action by a private mediator. The parties have agreed to a one-day mediation session, scheduled for May 28, 2008.

By June 3, 2008, the parties will advise the Court of the outcome of the mediation session. If this action is not resolved through mediation by June 3, 2008, the parties will submit a revised proposed pretrial schedule.

Accordingly, in the interest of judicial efficiency, the parties respectfully request that the pretrial schedule in this action be stayed, pending mediation and submission of a revised proposed pretrial schedule, if necessary.

The Court's considerations are appreciated.

*Provide a status report
by June 3, 2008.*

Respectfully submitted,

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SO ORDERED

cc: Thomas Coppola, Esq. (by facsimile and ECF)

THEODORE H. KATZ
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE